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The amendment received 8-9-04 is considered non-compliant with 37 CFR 1.121. Specifically, claims 5 and 7 are lacking the permissible "Status Identifier". The claims say "(Amended)", but should be provided with either (Currently Amended) or (Previously presented). Applicant has one month to respond.

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